



IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant (s): David H. Meyer

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For: INBRED CORN LINE 6XN442

Group Art Unit: 1616

Examiner: Cynthia Collins

Assistant Commissioner for Patents
Alexandria, Virginia 22313

Sir:

PETITION UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.59(b)

1. Agrigenetics Inc., through their attorney, hereby petitions to the Commissioner under 37 C.F.R. § 1.59(b) to expunge information submitted under MPEP § 724.02.

2. Specifically, Agrigenetics Inc. petitions to expunge the Declaration Under 37 C.F.R. § 1.132 submitted herewith if the information contained in the Declaration is found not to be important to a reasonable Examiner in deciding whether to issue the application as a patent.

3. The referenced Declaration contains trade secret information that has not been made public.

4. Agrigenetics Inc. agrees to retain the expunged Declaration for the period of any patent which issued from Application No. 10/735,545.

5. This Petition is being submitted by, or on behalf of, the party in interest who originally submitted the information.

6. Favorable consideration of this petition and acceptance of the above-referenced application with are respectfully requested.

7. The Petition fee required by 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(g) is submitted herewith.

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To the extent necessary, please charge any shortage in the fees due in connection with the filing of this paper, including extension of time fees, to the deposit 04-1529, and please credit any excess fees to such deposit account.

Respectfully submitted,

A handwritten signature in cursive script, reading "Eric J. Kraus". The signature is written in dark ink and is positioned above a horizontal line.

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